

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
AUSTIN DIVISION

Defense Distributed, et al.

\_\_\_\_\_  
-vs-

Case No.: 15-CV-172-RP

U.S. Dep't of State, et al.  
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**MOTION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

Comes now Alan Gura, applicant herein, and moves this Court to grant admission to the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas *pro hac vice* to represent Plaintiffs Defense Distributed et al in this case, and would respectfully show the Court as follows:

1. Applicant is an attorney and a member of the law firm (or practices under the name of)

Gura & Possessky, PLLC

with offices at

Mailing address: 105 Oronoco Street, Suite 305

City, State, Zip Code: Alexandria, VA 22314

Telephone: 703.835.9085

Facsimile: 703.997.7665

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2. Since Nov. 4, 2004 ☒, Applicant has been and presently is a member of and in good standing with the Bar of the State of Virginia ☒.

Applicant's bar license number is 68842.

3. Applicant has been admitted to practice before the following courts:

Court:

Admission date:

California Supreme Court

December 1, 1995

District of Columbia Ct of Appeals

January 6, 1997

See attached for federal courts

4. Applicant is presently a member in good standing of the bars of the courts listed above, except as provided below (list any court named in the preceding paragraph before which Applicant is no longer admitted to practice):

N/A

5. Applicant has never been subject to grievance proceedings or involuntary removal proceedings while a member of the bar of any state or federal court, except as provided below:

N/A

6. Applicant has not been charged, arrested, or convicted of a criminal offense or offenses, except as provided below (omit minor traffic offenses):

N/A

7. Applicant has read and is familiar with the Local Rules of the Western District of Texas and will comply with the standards of practice set out therein.

8. Select one:

☐ Applicant has on file an application for admission to practice before the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas.

☒ Applicant has co-counsel in this case who is admitted to practice before the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas.

Co-counsel: William B. Mateja

Mailing address: One Congress Plaza, Suite 810

City, State, Zip Code: Austin, TX 78701

Telephone: 512.472.5070


9. Should the Court grant applicant's motion, Applicant shall tender the amount of \$100.00 *pro hac vice* fee in compliance with Local Court Rule AT-1(f)(1) [checks made payable to: **Clerk, U.S. District Court**].

10. Should the Court grant applicant's motion, Applicant shall register as a filing user within 10 days of this order, pursuant to Administrative Policies and Procedures for Electronic Filing in Civil and Criminal Cases in the Western District of Texas.

Wherefore, Applicant prays that this Court enter an order permitting the admission of

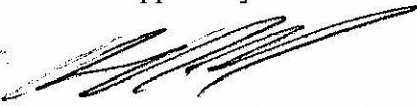
Alan Gura to the Western District of Texas *pro hac vice*  
for this case only.

Respectfully submitted,

Alan Gura  
[printed name of Applicant]  
  
[signature of Applicant]

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served a true and correct copy of this motion upon each attorney of record and the original upon the Clerk of Court on this the 12th day of May, 2015.

Alan Gura  
[printed name of Applicant]  
  
[signature of Applicant]

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**ORDER**

BE IT REMEMBERED on this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, there was presented to the Court the Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* filed by Alan Gura ("Applicant"), counsel for Plaintiffs Defense and the Court, having reviewed the motion, enters the following order:

IT IS ORDERED that the Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* is GRANTED, and Applicant may appear on behalf of Plaintiffs Defense Distributed et al. in the above case.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Applicant, if Applicant has not already done so, shall, in compliance with Local Court Rule AT-1(f)(1), immediately tender the amount of \$100.00, made payable to: **Clerk, U.S. District Court.**

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Applicant, pursuant to the Administrative Policies and Procedures for Electronic Filing in Civil and Criminal cases in the Western District of Texas, shall register as a filing user within 10 days of the date of this Order.

IT IS FINALLY ORDERED that Applicant's *Pro Hac Vice* status shall not become effective until Applicant has complied with all provisions of this Order.

SIGNED this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

**BAR ADMISSIONS**

United States Supreme Court January 10, 2000

State Bars:

California Supreme Court	December 1, 1995
District of Columbia Ct. of Appeals	January 6, 1997
Virginia Supreme Court	November 4, 2004

United States Courts of Appeal:

District of Columbia Circuit	April 17, 2001	
First Circuit	July 18, 2011	Bar No. 1148005
Second Circuit	August 9, 2011	
Third Circuit	November 16, 2011	
Fourth Circuit	March 1, 2001	
Fifth Circuit	October 24, 2007	
Sixth Circuit	May 14, 2007	
Seventh Circuit	December 19, 2008	
Ninth Circuit	November 6, 1997	
Tenth Circuit	January 23, 2012	
Eleventh Circuit	June 14, 2001	
Federal Circuit	May 17, 2007	

United States District Courts:

Central District of California	March 1, 1996
Southern District of California	October 9, 1997
Northern District of California	November 26, 1997
Eastern District of California	October 24, 2000
District of Columbia	March 1, 1999
Eastern District of Virginia	December 9, 2005
Western District of Michigan	January 31, 2011
Western District of New York	June 3, 2011